MR. A. THANU PILLAI : May I know whether the Government will consider the desirability of allowing as much funds as are required at least within the receipts under markets for meeting such purposes?

MR. K. PARAMESVARA PANICKAR : It is not possible to allow funds from the receipts from markets for this particular purpose. It is opposed to budgetery principles.

Supervisors in the P. W. Department.

102. ✻**MR. P. J. SEBASTIAN** (*Changanachery* cum *Peermade*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Supervisors in the P. W Department who will retire in the years 1113, 1114 and 1115, with their names?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: The member is referred to the Civil List The Officers generally retire on completing their 55th year of age.

Assistant Engineers and Sub-Engineers.

103. ✻ **MR. P. J. SEBASTIAN** : Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Assistant Engineers and Sub-Engineers who will retire in the years 1113, 1114 and 1115, with their names?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: The member is referred to the Civil List The Officers will ordinarily retire on completing their 55th year of age.

Police Constables from the Varnava Community.

104. ✻**MR. KAVIYOOR K. K. KOCHUKUNJU** (*Nominated*) : Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of constables in the Police Department from the Varnava community (Pathiyan, Mannan or Vannan, Chayakaran or Pandy Vannan, Neryan, Paravan or Bharather, Ettali, Purathon and Velan); and

(*b*) whether during the Police recruitment of the 5th Thulam 1113, any individuals from the Varnava community (Pathiyan, Vannan or Mannan, Chayakkaran or Pandy Vannan, Ettali, Velan, Purathon, Neryan and Paravan or Bharathar) were selected and, if so, their number?

RAJYAREKSHAPRAVEENA R. PITCHU AIYANGAR: (*a*) 11.

(*b*) Yes: 3.

Fee concession to college students belonging to the Varnava Community.

105. ✻**MR. KAVIYOOR K. K. KOCHUKUNJU** : Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of students in the colleges, belonging to the Varnava community (Pathiyan, Mannan or Vannan, Chayakkaran or Pandy Vannan, Ettali, Velan, Purathon, Neryan and Paravan or Bharathar); and

(*b*) whether fee concession has been granted to college students belonging to the said community?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Director of Public Instruction*):

(*a*) One.

(*b*) Yes, as a special case.

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